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Creedence Clearwater rocks on

by Jonathan M. Carl Staff Writer

Creedence. "Proud Mary." CCR.

"Bad Moon Rising."

The mere mention of these words is enough to make any aging hipster drool

with enthusiasm.

Rock and Roll Hall of Fame icons Stu Cook and Doug "Cosmo" Clifford will rock the Amphitheater at 8:15 tonight

with Creedence Clearwater Revisited.

The band, a rock outfit designed in 1995 by the two former Creedence Clearwater Revival band members, looks to carry on the tradition of their rock alma mater by playing the hits they made popular. made popular.

Cook said reasons behind the project

were largely self-serving.

"We just wanted to play the music some more," Cook said. "It turns out, a lot of people cared."

In 2000, the band released the double CD "Recollection." The live album features Revisited versions of classic Revival songs.

The band covers such Revival hits as "Susie Q." "Who'll Stop the Rain," "Born on the Bayou," Bad Moon Rising," "Fortunate Son" and "Run through the Jungle."
Since their '95 inception, Revisited

rocked its way across four continents and played classic tunes to a new gen-

eration of fans.

"It's all based around the music,"
Cook said. "No one is interested in

extending the legacy. The goal is to celebrate with the fans."

As the rhythmic backbone of Revival, with Cook on bass and Clifford on drums, the Revisited project solicited the help of other historic rockers to carry on their tradition.

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On vocals is John Tristao. As former lead singer of the band People, Tristao scored a top ten hit with the song "I Love You" in 1968.

Elliot Easton plays lead guitar. New wave fans may remember him as the lead guitarist for The Cars, a band who scored a handful of top ten hits in the 1980s.

Steve Gunner, the band's musical gofer, is a 22-year veteran of the Los

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Lecturer Murphy drawn to work in the Middle East

by Alice R. O'Grady Staff Writer

As several morning Amphitheater speakers have said this week, there are numerous challenges American foreign policy in the Middle East. This morning's speaker, Richard W. Murphy, will speak specifi-cally about these challenges. Murphy, a former foreign-

service officer, will include Iraq, Saudi Arabia and the Arab-Israeli peace process in his lecture titled, "Challenges to American Foreign Policy in the Middle East."

"I'll talk about what we're up to and where we're going in our own eyes and in the eyes of the people out there," he said.

After growing up in New Hampshire and Mass-achusetts, Murphy earned a bachelor's degree in history and literature. He planned to major in anthropology, but Margaret Mead advised him anthropology was a graduate study, not for undergraduates.

However, when he was offered a fellowship to Cambridge University, he did major in anthropology and earned another bachelor's degree lor's degree.

Murphy was 24 when he joined the Foreign Service.

"At that age, I was supposed to know what I want-



Richard W. Murphy

ed to do, but I didn't," ho said. He started to become a specialist in African Affairs and was sent to Southern Rhodesia (now Zimbabwe). However, he chose to enter a language program in Arabic, and spent two years in and spent two years in Bierut studying inside the U.S. Embassy.

After two years, Murphy said, he would not call himself fluent in Arabic, although he could carry on a although he could carry on a normal conversation and could read the news. However, newspaper editorials are written in a more complex classical Arabic, and he could not read those. During President Reagan's tenure, Murphy served as assistant secretary of state for Near East and South Asian Affairs and was

South Asian Affairs and was active in the Israeli-Arab

Murphy received the President's Distinguished Service Award three times and the State Department's Superior Honor Award twice. In 1985, he was named career ambassador, a title held by only five officers serving at any given time. At least one of these awards, Murphy said, was

probably because of his work on the Arab-Israeli peace process.

"The fact that there was

no war is an accomplishment, I guess," he said.

After 34 years with the State Department and 15

years as a senior fellow for the Middle East with the Council on Foreign Rel-ations, Murphy is now a con-sultant on Middle East

At the suggestion that he might like to just stay home and read, Murphy said he cannot do that. "I have to be in the Near East regularly, and I have what both the Araba and Israelis call 'love of the Araba and Israelis call 'love of the Araba and Israelis call 'love of the chair." Murphy wants to remain in the sad-

wants to remain in the sad-dle, so to speak.

Murphy is a frequent commentator for NPR, CNN and the BBC. His arti-cles have appeared in The New York Times, Washington Post and the Christian Science Monitor.

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A rain-kissed fuchsia delicately hangs in one of the pots near the Hall of Philosophy.

European Union Simulation provides today a detailed experience of the E.U.

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by George Cooper Staff Writer

"Most Americans have a vague interest and knowledge about the European Union, but not very detailed," said Neill Nugent, professor of politics and European integration at Manchester Metropolitan University. SUNY-Fredonia's Institute For European Union Studies aims to provide that detail.

Simulation is a means of education, instructing participants in the backgrounds of leading role players in the European Union, and then assigning each participant a

Chautauqua is a perfect location for this nary session to discuss kind of discussion and education. There well as to take questions really are a wide variety of people here and from the audience. Chautauquans are invited to parthe air is filled with many different languages.

Richard Goodman

Executive director of SUNY-Fredonia's Institute For European Union Studies

role in negotiating a relevant and current issue.

"The European Union is very complicated," Nugent "and undergoing certain stresses as it grows." A central question facing the EU is whether it should con-

tinue to grow.

Today's European Union simulation occurs between 1 and 3 p.m. upstairs in the Hultquist Center. Between 3:45 and 5 p.m. in the Hall of Philosophy the faculty and participants will have a ple-

aspects of the simulation, as ticipate in the full afternoon simulation or, if they prefer, attend the plenary session to hear the summative reports and ask questions. Either way, Chautauquans will come away with a more detailed knowledge of the European Union.

The simulation will address two central problems facing the E.U. "Turkey would like to enter the European Union," Nugent said, "but some current

members think that Turkey is culturally so different from E.U. culture in general, its SUNY-Fredonia's Institute E.U. culture in general, its entry might threaten unity." Turkey being a largely Muslim country has some bearing on this.

A second issue regards how to define growth and measure its extent. The E.U. is considering where and how its boundaries should be drawn. Should they be geographical in nature? Should they be religious, linguistic or historical? Nugent said some members think the E.U. is too big.

"For some, further growth will mean a decrease in operat-

is a pilot program appropriate to Week One's theme "Building a Global Future." Conducting the simulation at Chautauqua, faculty can develop their efforts to bring better É.U. instruction upstate.

"Downstate is covered pretty well by NYU," said Laurie Buonanno, associate professor of political science at Fredonia. "Through a consortium of SUNY schools, we hope to develop a graduate course as well as respond to the need for more and better

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Today's Weather



Mostly sunny with highs near 76° and a low near 57°

Saturday's Weather



Partly Cloudy with a high of 81°, cooling down to 69° that evening.



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Art and peace

Artist Richard Ozanne remembers arowing up at Chautauaua and describes his international work. Page B3

FEATURE

Returning artist paints a message of peace

by Laura Boyce Staff Writer

For a modest man, he has huge aspirations for the world of art. When talking about the world of art, Richard Ozanne means it literally.

Recipient of the United Cultural Convention International Peace Prize, visual artist Ozanne takes his work around the globe, a way to transcend language.

The world has entered a bridging time period, he said, and he envisions a new era of the arts with people of dynamic thought.

"This includes art, music, theater performance, any work of good intention to promote the advancement of culture in a time of challenge," Ozanne said. The peace prize has been given to musicians, artists and scientists, among othfrom countries throughout the world.

For an artist who has approximately 2,000 paintings in his collection, he shyly pulls out the award he received, recognizing his progress through visual art, which has a detailed bronzed eagle at its base and glass plaque protruding up from the wing engraved with "Richard Ozanne" and the words, "Daring to Soar and Creating Harmony of Human Kind."

Ozanne has a dream for art to become more of a forte in world culture, especially arts without boundaries or limitations. "I'm such an idealist at times," he said. There is a group of artists who believe that creating artistic programs, and working together, can not only advance world culture as a whole but also promote world peace.

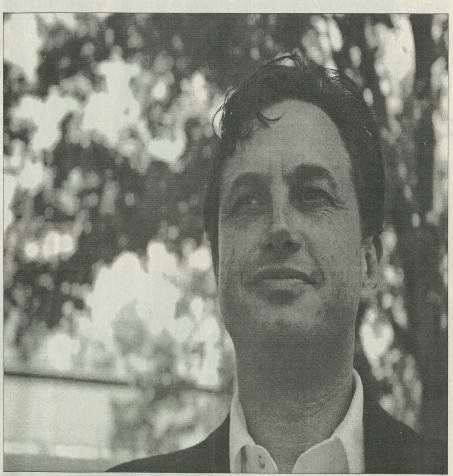
In dedication to these motives Ozanna titled his

bringing himself and wife, distinguished pianist Patricia Benkman, here for the first time. "I was practically born here," remarked Ozanne as he looked around Bestor Plaza, explaining his parents introduced him to Chautauqua just weeks after he was born May 20, 1959. The family came every summer while Marsh headed the department.

As he searched for the right words to express his childhood experiences at the Institution, the now 45-yearold Ozanne finally said in an excited tone, "I had a wonderful existence here as a child." Reminiscing, Ozanne perked up when he talked about escaping with his painting supplies to Miller Park, the Bell Tower or into the forest where he could hear the organ being tuned at a nearby church.

Thinking of the talent he encountered as a child growing up in this environment, Ozanne admitted he could not even begin to mention unless he had two hours all the names of influential people he encountered as a youth. He did, however, say psychologist Karl Menninger, Helen Temple Logan, and the Bromley family, whom he happens to stay with, stand out.

"The '60s here were at the forefront of the arts," he said. "It was a Mecca of talent every summer, such high caliber people." He said they, as well as his father, had a profound impact on his life, leading to



Richard Ozanne, a visual artist, is the son of Ozan Marsh, a former director of the Chautauqua School of Music's Piano Department. Ozanne grew up in Chautauqua and has returned for the first time in 10 years. A recipient of the United Cultural Convention International Peace Prize, Ozanne teaches in the Czech Republic.

Ozanne's father to create return, his teaching career in said in complete modesty. what Ozanne now describes as probably the most influential moment in his decision to become an artist. A completely experimental composition by Marsh, unlike anything of

Europe since 1996 has not afforded him ample opportunity. The last time Ozanne was on Institution grounds was in 1992 for memorial concert honoring Marsh.

He has however found both a reason and the time to return for two weeks this summer, departing directly after July 4. "I needed to retie bridges with myself, I wanted to recapture something I lost," he said, hoping to get

Marsh also instilled in Ozanne a desire to travel internationally. When his father was not performing two times per week during the summer season at Chautauqua, he was toting his son along to far off destinations like Russia and China where he performed in front of international figureheads during the 1980s.

Ozanne acknowledged these opportunities growing art of many vibrant colors.

Typically working with paint as his primary medium, Ozanne said he mostly appreciates when the fundamentals of art can be displayed. He cited his father's love for the basic techniques of music as the origin for his inclination.

Teaching allows him the opportunity to view the fundamentals as his students take time to produce their best, he said. He dreams of a future in which he returns to

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However, Ozanne did not stumble into his dreams alone. He said instead it could be considered a family aspiration, as his father had the same ideals.

Ozanne's father played a huge role in his movement toward art and used his talents to make a difference. Much of this inspiration took place at Chautauqua, as his father, Ozane Marsh, was the School of Music chair for the Piano Department between the years of 1958 and '86.

As a child, Ozanne too had the last name of Marsh. Since 1980, however, he has used in all his artwork and exhibits the original family name from hundreds of years ago - Ozanne. It was during a visit to Chautauqua last fall he said he finally decided to make it legal. He signed the papers and offi-

cially changed his name.
In 1957 Julius Hume offered Marsh the position with the piano department,

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his future career decisions.

Ozanne's mother taught alongside his father. might have been expected for the young Ozanne to follow his family's footsteps into to a life of music, however, it was his father's beloved art collection and friendship with Revington Arthur, then head of the Art Department, that pushed him toward painting.

Chautauquan summers enriched Ozanne's artwork between school's spring and fall semesters. However, it wasn't until he was walking leisurely through Bestor Plaza Festival in 1968 and a friend informed him his name was called as winner of the art competition for his painting - winning him a set of pastels and a certificate for art supplies — that he had a real inkling he was good at what he does.

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the '60s, presented Arthur painting an original masterpiece as three pianos and an opera singer performed simultaneously

Visual artist

"It was just so artistic," Ozanne said. "My father liked to do arrangements for pieces in his own private genre."

With such fond memories and history, it is hard to understand why this is the first time in over a decade Ozanne has spent any significant amount of time at Chautauqua, besides the sporadic day or two he has managed.

Although he meant to

thing he cherished as child.

Because he has been active primarily in Prague since 1996, he said returning would also allow him to recapture a solid position on America. Besides teaching art, Ozanne also substituted as an American History professor at the Charles University Film and Media Academy, teaching American cultures and institutions.

He said the people in the Czech Republic are tremendously interested in the progress of world democracy, and he had the opportunity recently to witness the nation's joining with the European Union.

"It has been great to be involved in the transition, if I even can really say that," he

was lead an international direction, he said, culturally and artistically. In his own career. Ozanne has taken his work to more than 75 countries

After thinking moment, Ozanne characterized his work as post-modernist, but in actuality, he said he tries to avoid confining his art to specific terms and conditions. "How does one call himself something in particular," he said. "I like to do work from all existences." Ozanne's collection varies from more traditional scenes to extreme

the past 20 years

his past memories, but to instruct other young artists in the art of painting.

Because his times here, the countless number of talks with Arthur and the ability to assist him at the school in 1977 were so important to him as a young artist, Ozanne often takes walks around the Art School while at the Institution.

Upon his departure, he plans to return to his home in Michigan. In the fall he will take his talents to Turin, Italy, to teach and continue his vision of peace one stroke at

Audience Etiquette

At the heart of Chautauqua's performance life is the Amphitheater. This unique building, built in 1893, presents the modern-day audience with many challenges both in form and access

- 1. Seating is non-reserved for all Amphitheater events with the exception of orchestra concerts, when Symphony Patron seats are reserved until after the first selection or movement.
- 2. The saving of seats is discouraged and audience members are encouraged to arrive early, especially for the busy Friday night specials, when attendance is heavy.
- 3. For the safety of audience members, please do not block
- 4. Food, drink, smoking and animals (with the exception of dogs assisting disabled people) are prohibited in all performance
- 5. Coming late and leaving early is discouraged. If this cannot be avoided, please do so as quietly and discreetly as possible via the side aisles. Do not enter or exit through the tunnels on either side of the Amphitheater stage during a performance. Please be aware that audience and performers alike are disturbed by unnecessary noise and commotion. Crying or vocal children squeaky strollers and buggies and barking dogs should be taken out of audience hearing range during performances.
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